





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
James LINK et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
Application No.: 09/541,795) Examiner: Sudhaker Patel
Filed: March 31, 2000	,))
For: CELL ADHESION-INHIBITING ANTIINFLAMMATORY AND IMMUNE- SUPPRESSIVE COMPOUNDS))))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of September 23, 2002. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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